



*JPW*

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application No. : 10/825,792  
Inventor(s) : Chan et al.  
Filed : April 16, 2004  
Art Unit : 1744  
Examiner : Shay Lynn Karls  
Docket No. : 9215L  
Confirmation No. : 9078  
Customer No. : 27752  
Title : Electric Toothbrushes

INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Mail Stop Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
P. O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.56, 1.97 and 1.98, it is respectfully requested that the document(s) cited in this submission be carefully considered by the Examiner and made of record in this case. As provided in §1.97(g), no representation is made or intended that a thorough art search was made. As provided in 37 C.F.R. §1.97(h), this Information Disclosure Statement does not constitute an admission of any kind, and specifically is not an admission that the document(s) cited in this submission is (are), or is (are) considered to be, material to the patentability of the above-identified patent application, as defined in 37 C.F.R. §1.56(b).

This Information Disclosure Statement is being submitted under 37 C.F.R. §1.97(c). A final action under 37 C.F.R. §1.113, a notice of allowance under 37 C.F.R. §1.311, or an action that otherwise closes prosecution in the application (e.g., *Ex parte Quayle*) has not been received as of the date of this submission. I hereby elect to pay the fee set forth in 37 C.F.R. §1.17(p). Authorization is hereby given to charge the fee set forth in 37 C.F.R. §1.17(p) to Deposit Account Number 16-2480 in the name of The Procter & Gamble Company.

02/07/2008 HDESTA1 00000001 162480 10825792

01 FC:1806 180.00 DA

Appl. No. 10/825,792  
Docket No. 9215  
Customer No. 27752

2

Additional Items to be Noted by the Examiner

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. §1.98(a)(2), foreign patent documents and non-patent literature is provided.

Additional information is attached.

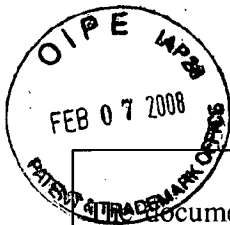
Respectfully submitted,

THE PROCTER & GAMBLE COMPANY

  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature

Date: 2-4-08  
Customer No. 27752  
(IDS Letter.doc)  
(Revised 12/07)

\_\_\_\_\_  
George H. Leal  
Registration No. 56,813  
(513) 622-1268



### IMPORTANT CONFIDENTIALITY NOTICE

Documents accompanying this first class mailing contain confidential information belonging to the sender which is legally protected. The information is intended only for the use of the individual or entity named below. If you are not the intended recipient, you are hereby notified that any disclosure, copying, distribution or the taking of any action in reliance on the contents of this mailed information is strictly prohibited. If you have received this mailing in error, please immediately notify us by telephone (collect) to arrange for return of the mailed document to us.

**TO:** Mail Stop Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
P. O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

**FROM:** Lori R. Wood

Fax No. 513-622-3300

Phone No. 513-622-2373

Application No.: 10/825,792

Inventor(s): Chan et al.

Filed: April 16, 2004

Docket No.: 9215L

Confirmation No.: 9078

### CERTIFICATE OF MAILING UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.8

I hereby certify that I have reasonable basis to expect that, on 2-4-2008, this correspondence is being mailed or deposited with the United States Postal Service with sufficient postage as first class mail to the address identified above.

Lori R. Wood (Signature)

Listed below are the item(s) being submitted with this Certificate of Mailing\*\*:

- 1) Information Disclosure Statement – 3 pages
- 2) PTO/SB08A – 11 pages
- 3) Cited References
- 4) Return Postcard
- 5)

**\*\*Note:** Each paper must have its own certificate of mailing, or this certificate must identify each submitted paper.

*Certificate of Mailing.doc*  
Revised 12/07

Appl. No. 10/825,792  
Docket No. 9215  
Customer No. 27752

3

INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

RELATED UNPUBLISHED PENDING U.S. APPLICATION(S)

<u>Examiners</u> <u>Initials</u>	<u>Application</u> <u>Serial</u> <u>Number</u>	<u>Application</u> <u>Filing Date</u> <u>(MM/DD/YYYY)</u>	<u>Inventor(s)</u>	<u>Attorney</u> <u>Docket</u> <u>Number</u>	<u>Copy in</u> <u>IFW?</u>
/sk/	11/880,907	7/25/2007	Chan et al.	9215CL	X
/sk/	11/893,470	08/16/2007	Chan et al.	9215C2L	X
<b>EXAMINER</b> /Shay Karls/			<b>DATE CONSIDERED</b> 2/13/07		